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## School Fair Jottings.

Thursday September 8th is School-Fair Day and here are a few timely hints for teachers and pupils. First and foremost, all exhibits must be in place by 10:30, ready for the judges to start work, otherwise they will be too late.

All vegetable entries should be clean and free from disease, and the tops removed from carrots and beets. Don't bring any sunflowers or corn sheaves, as there are no prizes for these this year. Prizes received too late for publication in the prize-list include a sack of Dr. McClellands "Minero" for the boy or girl winning the most points in the livestock classes, also 25 baby chicks from the Kwalley Hatchery for the best entries in the pullet and cockerel classes of each of the following breeds: White Leghorn, B. P. Rock, R. I. Reds and Black

Miss Marjorie Metheral, of Waskatenau, Alta., is spending a holiday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Metheral.

### Minorcas.

School work will of course be handled by the teachers, and tags and seals can be had by them either at the Chronicle Office or from the secretary on Fair morning. Also please read rule fourteen and remember that Nothing must be touched or taken away until permission is given by your secretary, who is always at hand for any advice you may need in getting your exhibits ready or any other thing you want to know pertaining to the fair. Just give him a ring and ask. Teachers who have classes trained for P. T. or parades should advise me as soon as they arrive on Thursday morning.

Secretary.

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## Monday Next

### Labour Day

Next Monday, September 5th, is Labour Day and a statutory holiday.

## War Memorial Fund

### Now Looks Encouraging

For some time committees of the local branch of the Canadian Legion and the Crossfield and District Board of Trade have expended time and energy towards the building of a cairn, or War memorial, in Crossfield, in memory of the soldiers who fought in the Great War.

At last the minds of the ex-servicemen and those interested, who tried for years to do something for those who have passed on, will be eased.

Although years have been required to accomplish what is already in motion, this generation is accomplishing something that will ever linger in the minds of the generation to come.

As this is a worthy project, and one ever to be remembered, it is well for the public to take part and see that the building of this cairn is carried out.

A thermometer has been prepared and is in the office of T. Tredaway for the benefit of any who wish to see the fund rise. The highest point is three hundred and seventy-five dollars, and it is wonderful to know that the temperature has risen, and is still rising. We all want it to reach the top, or burst. The latter would be the most encouraging.

We are glad to state that a great deal of interest is being taken and feel that success will be met with.

## Threshing Well Under Way In The District

### I. Laut Brings First Load of Wheat To Pool Elevator

### RUSH ELEVATOR

Despite frequent rains, which tended to delay harvesting, threshing is well under way in the district.

According to reports, in the next week or so threshing will be general as many have already finished binding. A number, however, are waiting for combines.

A. McMillan, of the Pool Elevator, informed us that Mr. I. Laut brought the first load of wheat into Crossfield Monday morning. Although frost did a great deal of damage, the wheat graded No. 2 and weighed 60 pounds to the bushel. Mr. Laut has swathed and combined 800 bushels.

Mr. M. N. Jones of the Alberta Pacific elevator received a load of grain on Tuesday.

The new Parrish & Heimbecker elevator has been built quickly. Lights and telephone were installed Tuesday, and Mr. J. Reeves, the agent, informs us that he will be ready to buy grain today, Thursday. Geo. R. Jones brought a carload of wheat into the Pool Elevator on Wednesday, which graded No. 1 Northern and was shipped the same day.

Even with all the hail in the east, crop conditions are good, and losses are not as great as estimated at the time of the hail. Although frost did a certain amount of damage and first-grade wheat is not as plentiful on this account.

However, granted a few more weeks of fine weather, harvesting will be completed for another year.

Mr. Fisher, of Calgary, commenced driving the Crossfield Transfer truck today. J. Wilcox, who has driven this truck for the past five years, has resigned and accepted the position as nightwatchman,

## Another Oldtimer

### Passes From District

Mrs. Eliza Garwood quietly passed away at her home in the Inverlea district on Tuesday at 5:45 a.m., after a heart attack, at the age of 67 years.

The deceased was born at Wolsingham-Lee-Willows, England, and came to the Crossfield district 34 years ago, homesteading in the Inverlea district, where she resided until her passing. She was very active and assisted Dr. Whillans for some time.

Mrs. Garwood leaves a son, Lawrence, at home; a daughter, Mrs. L. V. Bliss, Calgary; four grandchildren, three brothers, Leonard Landymore, Calgary, Albert Landymore in Ontario, a brother in England; two sisters, Mrs. T. I. Borbridge, Crossfield, and a sister in England.

Funeral services will be held from the Crossfield United Church today (Thursday) at 2:00 p.m. The Rev. S. R. Hunt will officiate and interment will be made in the Crossfield cemetery.

## Decoration Day Service

### Draws Fair Crowd

Plans to be Made to Make Next Year's Event Greater

## MORE TO ASSIST

With the Rev. A. D. Currie Padre of the Canadian Legion, officiating a number of ex-servicemen, many others and a good supply of flowers, the Decoration Day service, sponsored by the Legion, held on Sunday, August 28th, was a decided success. With some sixty persons in all being present. Graves that had had no attention for years were beautifully decorated with flowers.

The members of the Legion extend their sincere thanks to all who helped to make this service a success by donating flowers and being present.

Plans are under way to make this service a still greater event next year.

The previous Sunday, the Rebekah and Oddfellows Lodges held a joint Memorial Service, which was also a success. For next year, it is hoped that the three organizations, with the assistance of their other friends, will make this a joint affair and a big event in the annals of Crossfield history.

## Popular Madden Girl Weds in Calgary

### HEINRICH-PIRIEST

Sergeants of the Lord Strathcona's Horse, R.C., formed a guard of honour as the bride and groom left the church when, on Saturday evening, one of their number, Sergeant Samuel Heinrich took as his bride, Miss Muriel May Priest. The salute from the officers in their blue uniforms formed a striking conclusion to the lovely ceremony which was conducted by Ven. Archdeacon C. Swanson in St. Stephen's Church, Calgary, at half past seven o'clock.

The bridegroom is the youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Heinrich of Medicine Hat, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Norman Priest of Madden.

To wedding music played by Mr. Thomas Jenkins the bride entered the church, accompanied by her father, who gave her in marriage. Her wedding gown was of white silk net and the skirt, which was made with sunburst pleating, fell from a softly shirred bodice. Over this was a tiny bolero of net. Her veil of net was held in place by three straps of pearl and orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet. (See page eight, column 4.)

## Co-Operative U.F.A. Store

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Mens 9-oz. Rider Pants	\$1.75
" 10-oz. "	\$2.10
Mens Work Pants	\$1.95 to \$3.00
Mens Work Shirts	95c to \$1.65
Mens Embossed Leather Belts, 2 in. wide 65c	
Work Boots, from	\$2.95 to \$5.50

Work Gloves at all Prices and for every purpose

Red and Blue Bandanas, lge. size, 2 for	25c
Flannelette Blankets, lge. size, 70X84,	pair \$2.75
Ladies Cotton Hose, Special, pr.	20c
" Silk " pr.	35c and 85c

### Hardware Specials

Bundle Forks	\$1.20 to \$1.50
Oilers	20c to \$1.50
Binder Canvas Webbing, 5 ins. wide, yd.	16c
" Strapping, 1 1/8 ins. wide, yd.	13c
Clover Leaf Cups and Saucers, 6 for	49c

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## Teaches Farley To "Draw Long Bow"



Keen appreciation of the wonderful playground Canada possesses in the Canadian Rockies was expressed by Jim Farley, postmaster-general of the United States and organizer of the Democratic Party, who spent a pleasant few days with his daughters Ann and Betty at the Banff Springs Hotel. While at the mid-high playground they took part in the various activities usually enjoyed by the international colony there and thoroughly explored the surrounding country by motor. Mr. Farley, who is noted for the fact that he can call people by their first names years after a single meeting, will have a hard time forgetting Jacob Two Young Man, chief of the Stoney Indian tribe, snapped showing him how to handle a bow and arrow in the accepted Indian style. Interested in the spectacle of their daddy taking orders from anyone less than President Roosevelt himself are Ann, left, and Betty.

## A Visit Of Significance

While the distinguished visitor had little to say publicly as to the purpose of his visit and nothing of what the outcome might portend, the surprise visit of Marshall Sir Edward Ellington of London, England, an emissary of the Royal Air Force, to the Turner Valley oil field in Alberta recently may have results of far-reaching importance, not only to the producers of crude oil themselves but to the entire Western country.

If representations made to Sir Edward by Turner Valley producers of crude oil come to pass, the time is perhaps more distant when highly refined gasoline available for the exacting purposes of aviation may be shipped to Great Britain or elsewhere for storage in considerable quantities, with the Royal Air Force as consumer and consignee. This, at any rate, is the hope of producers who are of the opinion that Alberta crude, when properly processed, is eminently suitable for such a purpose because of its high octane content, an opinion which was endorsed by Sir Edward himself.

If the claims of the producers as to suitability of the product can be substantiated to the satisfaction of the British authorities it is quite within the realm of possibility that a new market for what is now a surplus commodity will be opened up as a result of Sir Edward Ellington's visit and investigations.

## Not So Very Surprising

Although Sir Edward's visit was a surprise to the extent that presumably no one in the prairie provinces had any advance intimation of it, it is not after all very surprising that the British authorities should by this time be taking some cognizance of, and interest in, the output and potentialities of the Turner Valley oil field.

As a producer of crude of high quality with great potential capacity, the Turner Valley field is no longer in the experimental stage. Sufficient of its output has been marketed and sufficient tests have been made to demonstrate beyond any doubt that it is a reservoir of great extent and great capacity; indeed claims have been made without contradiction that it is one of the largest, if not the largest, in the British Empire.

Under these circumstances and with the consumption of gasoline by the Royal Air Force growing by leaps and bounds as Britain strengthens her aerial arm of defence against aggression from outside with the greatest possible speed, it should not occasion any great surprise to find in charge of the Empire's defence should include a field of this magnitude in their survey of all available supplies of a commodity for which there is an increasing demand in times of peace and of which ample and safe supplies in the event of war, would be a vital necessity.

## Would Solve Problems

It is certain that if contracts could be entered into with the British government, or some concern acting on behalf of the British government, for the supply of substantial quantities of either the crude oil or the refined product from the Turner Valley field, it will go some way towards solving the producers' vexed problem of finding suitable markets to absorb the rapid increase in available surplus of Alberta petroleum.

The prospect, at least, opens up a wide vista of speculation. There is the possibility, for instance, that the British government might regard the Alberta oil pool of sufficient potential, if not immediate, value, to be willing to subsidize the construction of a pipeline to the head of the Great Lakes or to Churchill on the Hudson's Bay, to ensure the availability of a supply source in the event of other sources being shut off.

Either project would be of great value to Great Britain in an emergency and the former particularly would be an additional asset to the producers in marketing their surplus oil for commercial use in Eastern Canada. A subsidized pipeline to the head of the Great Lakes would undoubtedly enable Alberta oil to compete on an economic basis with Mid-Continent oil in the eastern markets.

Then, too, the great strides being made in development of aviation in Canada, both military and commercial, betokens a permanently widening market for Alberta crude in the west with the prospect of an increasing market in the east, if the cost of transportation can be reduced to an economic level. A subsidized pipeline line might meet this requirement if the railways are unwilling or unable to grant further concessions in carrying charges.

## Should Be Pressed Home

Certainly these prospects and possibilities are worthy of serious investigation and it is to be presumed that the producers themselves will not let an opportunity slip to press their claims for consideration with the greatest possible vigor.

Any outlet which will enable Alberta oil producers to market their product to full capacity of the wells should be of material benefit, not only to the oil industry itself but to all other industries with which it may be linked, not excluding agriculture. It should have the effect of cheapening the product to the consumer in the prairie provinces, and the associated industries which a flourishing oil industry might be expected to foster should afford an expanding outlet for agricultural products.

## No Use For Revolvers

Law-Abiding Canadian Citizens Do Not Carry Them

The average law-abiding citizen of Canada would no more carry a revolver in his hip pocket than a stick of dynamite. It simply does not occur to him that when he goes touring, he should carry such a weapon in the pocket of his car. Far too many revolvers are carried in Canada, but great numbers of them are war souvenirs, probably not discharged in many years. The situation in the United States is quite different. Any proposal there for strict control of revolvers and pistols arouses resentment and strong opposition. In most States it is lawful for men to carry revolvers, and a common practice—Ottawa Journal.

## Heating Power Of Sun

The sun exerts tremendous heating power on the earth. One acre of the earth's surface receives heat equivalent in power to 250 tons of the best anthracite coal in a three-month period. No less than seven tons of sunlight fall on the earth every hour at a speed of 186,000 miles per second.

A new British process to keep wool from shrinking is gaining wide interest among textile manufacturers in England.

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Get a line on this mild, mellow cigarette tobacco and you'll find a lot of extra satisfaction in rolling your own. No need to fish around for a better Fine Cut than Ogden's—there is none. Ogden's rolls them rich, cooler and smoother every time—especially when you use the pick of the papers—"Chanticleer" or "Vogue".



## Both From Same Ship

Lutine Bell Struck Twice When Bar Of Gold Recovered

At eighteen minutes past ten on a recent Friday morning, states the London Times, the "Lutine Bell" at Lloyd's was struck twice; and in the sudden silence the Caller announced that a bar of gold had been recovered from the Lutine.

Bell and bar both come from the same ship. That, it is true, is only a coincidence; but it adds to the thrill of a moment which even pursers in language might be induced to call dramatic. The bell was recovered in 1859; and for nearly 80 years it has hung in the centre of the Underwriting Room at Lloyd's, where it is struck to call silence for important news, once for bad news and twice for good.

The bar was recovered on Friday. But the bell had been at the bottom of the sea for 60 years when it was recovered, and the bar had been at the bottom of the sea for one hundred and thirty-nine years before the bell was struck to announce its recovery.

## THEY ALL ADVERTISE

By Ellis Hayes

A hen is not supposed to have much common sense or tact. Yet every time she lays an egg she cackles forth the fact. A rooster hasn't got a lot of intellect to show. But now, the least most roosters have. Enough good sense to crow. The mule, the most despised of beasts, has a persistent way. Of letting folks know he's around. By his insistent bray. The busy little bees they buzz. Bulls bellow and cows moo. The watchdogs bark, the ganders quack. And doves and pigeons coo.

The peacock spreads his tail and squawks. Pigs squeal, and robins sing. And even serpents know enough To hiss before they sting. But man, the greatest masterpiece That nature could devise. Who utters a word, hesitates BEFORE HELL ADVERTISE.

## Meat Cost Plenty

Wealthy Man Flew 600 Miles To Get What He Wanted

Walker P. Inman, wealthy sportsman, flew to Miami, Fla., in his private plane from his plantation at Georgetown, S.C., recently, just to buy some steaks and lamb chops—a 90-mile journey that cost \$53.04 for gasoline alone.

He explained to curious airport attendants who saw him and his Negro cook leading a collection of sirloins, prime ribs, and 40 pounds of lamb chops into the ship, that he had sampled the meat from his favorite butcher at Miami when he was in port on his yacht recently, and decided he had to have some more. The bill came to \$125.

"I couldn't buy them any place else," he said, and headed back to Georgetown after a two-hour visit.

## Was Honest Anyway

One hot July day in 1932, a man was fined \$10 for being drunk in Woodstock, Ont., but could not pay the full fine. He could only manage \$9.95. So the police chief paid the missing nickel, just to keep the books straight. A short time ago the man returned, and solemnly handed the chief the five-cent deficit.

The Maharajah of Kashmir, India, has an annual income of \$10,000,000 from his personal estate. 2270

## Growing In Importance

Turkey Now Centre Of Imposing Ring Of Alliances

Turkey has become a vital factor in Europe's negotiations for preserving peace and preparations for possible war.

"The Sick Man of Europe"—as the old Ottoman Empire was known—is the centre of an imposing ring of alliances and, spending 60 per cent of income on rearmament, is sick no more.

Turkey has defensive alliances and non-aggression pacts extending from Mid-Asia to Mid-Europe, many arranged by Kemal Ataturk, dictator-president for 15 years.

With Turkey as leader, the little but well-armed states of the Balkan Entente—Yugoslavia, Greece, Rumania and Turkey—and Bulgaria, which again is on friendly terms with it, can put 10,000,000 soldiers in the field.

For many years Turkey has had a friendship alliance with Soviet Russia and she is a signatory of the Saadabat (Asiatic) pact with Iraq, Iran and Afghanistan.

Of increasing importance are her increasingly cordial relations with Great Britain and France, the powerful democracies of western Europe, in contrast with her pro-war ties with Imperial Germany.

Britain recently granted Turkey \$16,000,000 (\$85,000,000) in a loan and credit line, which \$50,000,000 (\$30,000,000) probably will be used for munitions and warships.

Concessions from France in the solution of the Sanjak (state) of Alexandretta question helped bring Turkey into line with the democracies to oppose the activity of the Rome-Berlin axis in the Balkans.

Some of the British credits, Turkey expects to use to buy heavy artillery and tanks for both banks of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus, which she is re-fortifying rapidly in order to make those vital passages between the Black Sea and the Mediterranean invulnerable.

## Many Kinds Of Bread

Traveller Found 100 Varieties In Thirty Countries Visited

Romance in the story of bread was told by A. C. Williams, Toronto globe-trotter, who in the world tour from which he returned recently found in the 30 countries visited some 100 varieties of bread. He unearthed many strange methods of preparing and baking it. Mr. Williams was sent by the Long Foundation of Food Research, under the sponsorship of the Museum of Science and Industry Rockefeller Foundation, New York.

Egyptian women travelling with their caravans are able to bake bread on the backs of their camels, he explained. Three women take part in the process. The first one has a small mill on the back of a camel and grinds the grain into flour. She passes this on to the second woman who works it into dough, while the third woman has a brazier of coals and bakes the flat loaves for these desert travellers.

Egyptian women also bake sun-bread by leaving dough on a roof under the sun for four days, he reported. He told of herdsman on the Hortobagy Plains, Hungary, who eat on bread for periods of ten days while herding. At the end of this ten-day period their wives bake fresh loaves, and carry them to their husbands.

Bread is a symbol in some countries and at a wedding in Czechoslovakia which he attended the bride walked through the streets with a basket of bread, which she distributed to people she met. This gesture was symbolic of the hope that the bride would never want for bread.

## Question Answered

The Duke of Devonshire was once asked by a rather ostentatious contemporary why he invariably travelled third class, considering he was reputed to be such a rich man, as of the so-called "cream" of British nobility.

"Simply because there happens to be no fourth," was the swift reply.

## Quick Record

A new record was set up through the Royal visit to France. Paris telephonists connected the Queen with London in 16 seconds one day. Her Majesty telephoned every morning the Princess before official ceremonies began and there was every effort to put the call through swiftly.

Pittsburgh gasoline service station has taken on some girl attendants. The proprietor says the idea will spread, but that depends on the number of smiles to the gallon.

Mussolini has ordered all government civilian employees to wear uniforms henceforth in working hours.

## Midget Sun Is Powerful

Electric Light So Hot It Has To Be Water-Cooled

A brilliant new electric light, in which a midget sun, one-fifth as bright as the real sun, shines through a miniature Niagara falls, has been announced.

The light itself is no bigger than a pin-head but it is so hot it would destroy itself were it not constantly cooled by a waterfall which pours three quarts of water over it every minute.

The "sun" and the "Niagara" together are small enough to be housed in a glass tube the size of a shotgun cartridge.

The lamp, developed in the General Electric Company laboratories at Nela Park, Cleveland, produces 1,000 watts from a mercury arc. It consists of two glass tubes, one within the other. The small tube is of quartz. Within it is the midget sun—a globe of mercury and a trace of argon gas. Between this quartz tube, about as big as a cigarette, and the other glass case flows the waterfall.

Although the water absorbs 90 per cent of the heat generated, it allows virtually all the ultra-violet rays of the light to pass through. This gives the new lamp promising therapeutic possibilities.

Even greater value for the lamp was seen in photo-engraving processes, however. General Electric engineers said, the mercury arc "can neither wander nor wiggle." This steadiness makes possible engravings with "an almost perfect screen, each dot of which when viewed under the microscope, appears astonishingly clear cut."

## SELECTED RECIPES

## MUFFINS

1½ cups pastry flour  
½ cup St. Lawrence or Durham Corn Starch  
3½ teaspoons baking powder  
½ teaspoon salt  
3 tablespoons sugar  
1 cup milk  
1 egg well beaten  
3 tablespoons melted butter  
Mix and add dry ingredients. Add milk to beaten egg. Make a well in the flour and pour in liquids. Combine and add melted butter. Beat lightly. Pour into well buttered muffin tins. Bake at about 350 to 400 degrees F. approximately 20 minutes. For variety add ½ cup chopped bacon, or ½ cup grated dry cheese, or ½ cup raisins or dates, with a little spice if liked, or blueberries.

## RAISIN DE LUXE PIE

2½ cups milk  
¾ cup brown sugar  
4 tablespoons St. Lawrence or Durham Corn Starch  
2 eggs  
1 tablespoon butter  
1 cup seedless raisins  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
Scald 2 cups milk in double boiler. Mix sugar with corn starch, moisten with ¼ cup milk, add egg yolks and beat well. Remove from fire, add vanilla and pour into a baked pastry shell. Spread with meringue and bake about 15 minutes in a moderate oven (350 deg. F.)

## Alaska Uses Frozen Bread

Practical use of frozen bread is reported from Fairbanks, Alaska. Freshly-baked bread is quick-frozen at 20 degrees F. and is then shipped by train or aeroplane to retail distributors where it is quick-frozen condition until the consumer requires it to be defrosted.

Anxiety was caused in Kenya by the delay in arrival of the rainy season. The first one of the "long rains" the wet season usually lasts from April to June, but it did not begin until the end of May, when rain fell throughout the land.

Jellyfish contain between 90 and 98 per cent. water.

Once you sweeten your morning cereal with BEE HIVE Syrup you'll know how good cereal can taste.

TRY IT TOMORROW

Britain Has Long Purses

In Building Armaments She Could Outstrip Any Rival

Great Britain has to-day reason to be thankful that many years ago she pulled herself out of the depression and set her economic house in order, for that achievement gives her assurance that she can outstrip all her rivals in the armaments race. In the House of Commons recently, Sir John Simon gave some figures to show what expenditure on armaments meant. The destroyer of to-day is nearly twice as big and costs four times as much as that of 1912. The cruiser also costs four times as much. The pre-war battleship of 25,000 tons cost £2,350,000, the modern 35,000-ton cruiser cost the staggering sum of £8,000,000. Aeroplanes also are far more expensive than the best machines used in the last war. The increase in cost is due not only to size but to science, as all fighting weapons are more complicated and every additional complication adds a few pennies to the cost.

It needs a long purse to stand such a drain, and Britain has the longest purses in Europe. When the figures of German air expansion are guessed, and the estimate appears terrifying, it is to be remembered that such a prodigious pace cannot be kept indefinitely and that, given a period of peace, the country with the largest resources is the country that will win the race. A few months ago there was a near scare at the report that Japan was building 45,000-ton battleships, but fear on this head seems to have disappeared since Britain and the United States assumed the right to compete in this class if they wished. There could only be one end to such a competition, for the cost of a 45,000-ton sea baby would be much more than £8,000,000 and Japan is not able to afford herself many such luxuries at such a price.—Toronto Telegram.

## Exhibits From Canada

Attracted Much Attention At Agricultural Show In Wales

Canadian fur furs, a wide range of Canadian agricultural machinery, Canadian wire fencing, tree-stump pullers, cattle feed grinders, and Canadian barn equipment attracted much attention at the recent annual show of the Royal Agricultural Society at Cardiff, Wales. Agriculturists from Canada, the United States, Argentina, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa attended the exhibition.

The Statue of Liberty cost \$700,000. It is being repaired at a cost of \$170,000. That's what makes antiques valuable.

## OVERHEARD AT THE BRIDGE PARTY....

## I WRAP ALL MY LEFT-OVERS IN PARA-SAN!

## ...IT KEEPS THEM SO FRESH... I NEVER WASTE A THING!

## MADE IN CANADA

## HEAVY WAXED PAPER

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## BREN MACHINE GUN CONTRACT IS DEFENDED

Ottawa.—A statement issued under the authority of Defence Minister Mackenzie today defended the Bren machine gun contract awarded last March to the John Inglis Company of Toronto, was for \$50,000, with a maximum profit permitted in the Canadian share of the contract of \$267,000.

The statement referred to an article in the current issue of Maclean's magazine by Lieut.-Col. George A. Drew. Col. Drew gave the value of the contract as \$50,000, and stipulated the maximum profit as \$457,000. The minister's statement comments on other statements which the article emphasizes.

The minister's statement recalls his House of Commons speech of Feb. 14, when he suggested that all defence department contracts be referred to the public accounts committee of the house for examination. He deals with the work of Major James Hahn, promoter of the John Inglis Company, in interesting the British war office in the possibilities of manufacturing the Bren gun in this country, and explains how the major's proposals were also reviewed by the national defence department and by the inter-departmental committee on control of profits.

The British and Canadian contracts are identical, the minister's statement says, and were given pursuant to the policy of establishing "shadow factories as a means of developing reserve manufacturing resources against an emergency."

Mr. Mackenzie says the estimated savings to the Canadian government is more than \$1,300,000, when compared with what it would have cost if Canada had not entered into a contract for the Bren guns in conjunction with a similar contract entered into at the same time by the British government.

Commenting on the periodicals' claim that Col. Drew's statements are based on departmental records of Aug. 5, the minister says that "no legitimate access to departmental records of any date has been had by Col. Drew or by anybody purporting to represent him."

### Aircraft Mission

Negotiations Are Reported To Be Nearing Completion

Ottawa.—A Negotiation between Canadian aircraft manufacturers and the British air ministry's mission are approaching completion and there remain only a few finishing touches to be put to the proposals discussed during the past month.

The British envoys, Air Marshal Sir Edward Ellington, Sir Hardman Lever, F. Handley and A. H. Self, were in consultation with Major-General L. R. LaFleche, deputy minister of national defence. No statement was forthcoming.

Discussions with the Canadian aircraft industry have occupied nearly a month, during which efforts have been directed towards erecting an industrial structure in Canada capable of handling orders for aircraft and engines for the British air ministry. What form this would take, who would direct it, and how it would be financed and operated were the most difficult questions.

The plan contemplated establishment of a "parent company" in which all the present aircraft producers would have equal interest. This company would operate one, or possibly two, assembly plants, and its other function would be to farm out among the constituent companies the contracts received from the British government.

### Eskimo Diet

Says White Men Are Ruining Teeth Of Natives

Edmonton.—The white man is "making a good job of ruining the Eskimo's teeth," Dr. Roy H. Ellis, assistant professor of clinical dentistry at University of Toronto, said here after arriving by plane from Akavik, N.W.T.

Eskimos who live on dried fish and dried meat have fine teeth but those who subsist on white man's food have the same dental troubles as white men, Dr. Ellis said.

### Italy Starts Census

Rome.—Italy has started her special census of Jews. Questionnaires more than 100 years ago were distributed to all Jews and "suspected Jews" with the admonition that there would be severe penalties for those evading the census or giving false information.

### Extend Welcome

Lord And Lady Stanley Entertained At Private Luncheon In Ottawa

Ottawa.—A formal welcome from the government of Canada was given Lord Stanley, British secretary of state for the Dominion, and Lady Stanley, by Prime Minister Mackenzie King, host at a private dinner at the Ottawa Country club.

Guests included Lord Gower, governor-general of Australia, returning from a three-month visit to England; Sir Edward Ellington, British air marshal; and Wing Commander Robb of the British mission now surveying manufacturing and air training facilities in Canada.

Miss Jenny Morris, making a tour of Canada for a series of reunions with veterans who found shelter and friendship at her "mother's" home for soldiers in London during the war, also attended.

Ottawa guests included former Conservative leader R. B. Bennett and his successor, Hon. Dr. R. F. Manion and Mrs. Manion; Sir Francis Plunkett, British high commissioner in Canada, members of the diplomatic corps in Ottawa, and members of the government.

The Dominions' secretary and his party, including Lady Stanley and two sons, left for Toronto, where he will open the Canadian National Exhibition.

### Preference On Wheat

Has Given Canada Slight Advantage On British Market

Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que.—Delegates to the international conference of agricultural economists expressed belief that removal of Canada's wheat preference in the United Kingdom market would have no appreciable effect on the Dominion's wheat sales in the United Kingdom.

Dr. Charles F. Wilson, chief wheat statistician in the Dominion bureau of statistics, said the six-cent-a-bushel preference had given the Dominion a slight advantage in the British market. What disadvantage existed was felt chiefly by Argentina and the Danubian countries, and the United States within the past year.

### Will Winter In North

Second Trip English Archaeologist Has Made To Arctic

The Pas, Man.—G. W. Rowley, 25-year-old archaeologist of Manchester, England, passed through The Pas bound to spend the winter on the northern shore of McVillie Peninsula, about 700 miles north of Churchill.

Rowley, making his second trip into the far north, said he considered the Eskimo diet of raw meat, fish and seal blubber. He is making the expedition on behalf of Cambridge University of which he is a graduate. "One must eat at least half the meat raw to avoid scurvy," the young archaeologist said. "It is really very good, especially if frozen."

### Wireless Stations Planned

Work To Begin Immediately At Edmonton And Yellowknife

Edmonton.—Capt. W. R. "Wop" May, division superintendent of Canadian Airways, said he announced here work would begin immediately on construction of two high-powered, low-wave wireless stations at Yellowknife, N.W.T., and Edmonton.

All company planes are being equipped with wireless sets and the Yellowknife station will be able to communicate with them in all parts of the north.

### Baden-Powell III

Friends Unnervd Over Poor Health Of Boy Scout Head

London.—Friends of Lord Baden-Powell, 78-year-old founder and head of the Boy Scout movement, expressed uneasiness over his health, poor for some time.

Lord Baden-Powell, who sailed from Antwerp for Liverpool after a trip to Norway, was unable to attend a reception organized by Belgian Boy Scouts because he was unwell.

### Judge To Retire

Calgary.—Associated with the bench and bar in Alberta since 1899, Judge Edward Peel McNeill, judge of the district court of southern Alberta at Calgary, will retire Dec. 25, when he will be 75 years old—the age limit for judges.

### Compromise Proposal

Washington.—Intriguing persons said that State Secretary Hull had proposed to Mexico a compromise solution of differences over Mexican expropriation of American-owned agrarian lands.

### Lost Russian Explorers

Convinced That Eskimos Actually Saw Craft Disappear

Barrow, Alaska.—A searching party returned from another fruitless hunt for the lost Russian transpolar plane, but members said they were convinced Eskimos actually saw Sigismund Levanevsky's craft disappear near Ouluk a year ago.

The party, headed by Dr. Homer F. Kellem of Delaware, Okla., made the search after erecting a monument near here to the late Will Rogers and Wiley Post, plane crash victims.

Rev. F. G. Kierkegaard of Barrow, who accompanied Kellem's party to Ouluk, said they dragged waters where natives reported seeing a plane vanish last August but the search was handicapped by bad weather and insufficient equipment.

"We spoke to many Eskimos who claim they heard the plane's motor," Rev. Mr. Kierkegaard reported. "Their story appeared air-tight in answer to every question asked."

Levanefsky and five companions disappeared on a flight from Moscow, Aug. 13, 1937.

## CHINESE-U.S. AIR LINER SHOT DOWN BY JAPANESE

Hong Kong.—One of five known survivors of 19 persons aboard a Chinese-United States-owned airliner described the terror and shooting of the occupants when Japanese pursuit planes forced down and machine-gunned the passenger craft on the south China coast.

The large land plane, carrying two women, a baby, and small child and 11 men as passengers and a four-man crew, was forced of alight on a small river between Canton and Macao.

H. L. Woods, of Winfield, Kansas, the pilot, reported Japanese airmen dodged the airliner as it sank. Besides Woods, the known survivors are his wireless operator, Joe Loh; a passenger, C. N. Lou; and two unidentified passengers. All on the plane except Woods were Chinese.

Lou, said two Japanese planes opened fire on the airliner shortly after it took from Hong Kong. The pilot veered south from his westward course to shake off the attackers.

Later five pursuit planes attacked, diving close to the large plane so that it was forced down.

Lou, who reached a Macao hospital with a bullet wound in his neck, said some of his fellow passengers were wounded while the plane was still in the air and others while they were attempting to reach shore.

"The Japanese planes, after machine-gunning us while in the air, continued to do so while we were attempting to go ashore," Lou said. "The Japanese pilots seemed determined to kill everybody. Before we could really get clear of the plane the Japanese returned and again machine-gunned us mercilessly."

"It was hit by a bullet in the neck and could do no more than swim and run blindly under the diving planes. My impression is that many passengers never had a chance even to get out of the plane."

Pilot Woods and the Radio Operator Loh escaped serious injury. Woods was taken aboard the United States gunboat Mindanao at Macao.

Two passengers unaccounted for were prominent Chinese bankers—Hsu Sing-Loh, member of the Shanghai municipal council and president of the National Commercial Savings Bank, and Hu Pei-Kong, general manager of the Bank of Communications.

### EUROPEAN POLITICS "BLUFF"



Professor Ernest Barker, professor of political science at Cambridge University, is seen above as he arrived in London on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montrose". He appeared to want positive results by Sept. 6, field day at the Nurnberg Nazi party congress in Germany.

### Work On Czech Problem

British Negotiators Wrestling With Minority Question

Prague.—British and Czechoslovak negotiators wrestling with the problem of Czechoslovak minorities seemed to have adopted the slogan: "Positive results before the Nazi field day at Nurnberg."

More work and deeper secrecy was the watchword both for the government and the British mission headed by Viscount Runciman. They appeared to want positive results by Sept. 6, field day at the Nurnberg Nazi party congress in Germany.

R. F. Ashton-Gwatkin, economic adviser to the British mission, flew to London.

There was a split of government optimism, attributed by the foreign office spokesman to the understanding reached at Bled, Yugoslavia, between Hungary and the Little Entente nations of Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia and Rumania.

The Czechoslovaks regarded their understanding with Hungary—Hungary agreeing to complete a non-aggression pact with each of the three Entente nations—as an advantage gained over Germany, also courting Hungarian favor.

### Cattle Sale Outlook Good

Big Demand In East For Western Stock States Byers

Calgary.—Prospects for marketing western Canadian cattle in eastern Canada and the United States this fall rarely looked brighter, Jack Byers, manager of the Western Stock Buyers' Association, stated on his return from an extensive tour of eastern Canada and the eastern United States.

"Feed prospects in Ontario and the Maritimes are excellent," said Mr. Byers, "and there is already a big demand for western cattle. The outlook is very good and eastern buyers are already on their way west."

### Lightning Sets Off Dynamite

North Bay, Ont.—A bolt of lightning set off the charges of dynamite in 50 holes at a trans-Canada airport construction project near here. Only one of eight men near where the explosion occurred was injured, although rocks up to 300 pounds were shot into the air.

### SPANISH WAR FACTIONS MAY CONFER



The European press is greatly interested in the simultaneous appearance in Zurich, Switzerland, of Premier Negre (left) of the Spanish Loyalist Government, and the Duke of Alba, Spanish insurgent representative in London (right). Some newspaper reports claimed the representatives of the two warring factions had held a secret conference, but this could not be confirmed.

### Pleased With Balkan Pact

Britain Regards New Measure As Assistance Toward Peace

London.—General European affairs, including the new agreement between the Little Entente nations and Hungary, were discussed, it was understood, at a cabinet meeting attended by Prime Minister Chamberlain, Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax, and Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer.

Official circles hailed the Balkan pact with satisfaction and did not interpret it as a diplomatic slip in the face to Chancellor Hitler of Germany.

Neither they regarded it as another step to remove causes of friction in Europe, particularly in the Balkan states which often are regarded as Europe's powder keg.

The agreement between Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Rumania, on the one hand and Hungary on the other, was announced at Bled, Yugoslavia.

### Fine Was Necessary

But Amount Remitted To Ontario Pilot On Mercy Flight

Port Arthur.—Flying Alderman Al Cheesman went on an errand of mercy to Isle Royale to bring here for hospitalization two C.C. camp workers, and was threatened with a fine of \$1,000 by the United States immigration authorities.

Patients were Donald Watson and Lawrence Allen, who had been stricken with appendicitis. When Alderman Cheesman left Port Arthur he had no permit to fly into U.S. territory. He had, however, communicated with the U.S. immigration department at Duluth and got temporary permission to make the mercy trip.

"But remember, Mr. Cheesman," said one of the officers, "we'll fine you \$1,000."

"That didn't sound so good to me," said Alderman Cheesman, discussing the trip, "but in the next breath the official said, 'But we'll remit it.'"

## GUARANTEE TO HUNGARY IS GIVEN BY GERMANY

Berlin.—Chancellor Hitler guaranteed the inalienability of the borders of neighbouring Hungary in an exchange of toasts with his guest, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, regent of Hungary, at a state dinner.

Emphasizing the centuries of friendship and co-operation between Germany and the old Austro-Hungarian empire, Hitler said:

"This firmly-founded community based on mutually unshakable trust will be of special value to both peoples now that we as neighbors through historic events (union of Germany and Austria) have found our definite historical boundaries."

Admiral Horthy, in responding, stressed the three-cornered mutual friendship of Hungary, Italy and Germany and their common will for a "just peace."

"The wish for continuation of peaceful reconstruction which animates us and our friends is safe insurance that our people can pursue successfully the high aim of peace based on mutual good will and justice through further close collaboration, thereby serving best their own interests and those of the rest of the world," the regent said.

Horthy visited the Hamburg shipyards on an extension of the tour which gave him a first-hand view of the German navy at Kiel and took him to the fortified island of Heligoland.

Field Marshal Herman Wilhelm Goerring headed the reception. Hitler and Horthy strode side by side through the drizzling rain and reviewed a guard of honor. Horthy wore a full admiral's uniform and cocked hat; Hitler was dressed in a plain brown Nazi uniform. Madame Horthy was accompanied by Frau Goerring.

Budapest.—Hungary's determination not to tolerate a Nazi movement was demonstrated on two fronts coincident with the high honors being heaped by Germany upon the regent, Admiral Nicholas Horthy.

The Hungarian supreme court rejected the appeal of Major Ferenc Szalasy, leader of the Hungarian Nazi party, against the three-year prison term meted him for subversive activities. The court's decision is without appeal.

Four Nazis and 32 employees of the capital's municipal bus system were threatened for participation in the strike called recently in protest against decrees forbidding public service workers to belong to Nazi organizations.

## CHINA CLAIMS JAPANESE USING POISON GAS

Geneva.—The Chinese government formally charged before the League of Nations that two battalions of its troops were wiped out by a Japanese poison gas attack near Chuchwang, northeast of Juichang.

The accusation was contained in a note given the league secretariat by Dr. Victor Chi-Tsai Hoo, permanent Chinese delegate at Geneva, for the information of league council and assembly members and of the far eastern advisory committee.

The note follows: "According to a report transmitted by telegram by the command of Chinese troops in the Juichang sector in northern Kiang province, the Japanese who were at Chuchwang northeast of Juichang, advanced on the night of Aug. 21 as far as Taw-tuo."

"Two Chinese battalions then received the order to counter-attack and they succeeded in pushing back the enemy to the neighborhood of Chuchwang. On August 22 at one o'clock in the morning the Japanese, profiting by the wind direction, released large quantities of toxic gas."

"With the exception of the battalion commander—who was wounded and taken to the rear before the gas attack—and two lieutenants and two soldiers—who were slightly gassed—all officers and men of these battalions are dead."

"It is held that the victims, who bled from the nose, were poisoned by asphyxiating gas."

Shanghai.—Reports from a dozen sectors of regular and guerrilla conflict in the valleys of the Yangtze and Yellow rivers reached Shanghai.

Taken together, the reports showed little beyond the persistent scattered nature of the war between China and Japan and indicated no immediate, decisive stroke for either side.

Rankow was still the pivot on which the war revolved, with reinforced Japanese armies slowly jockeying for position to strike westward above and below the Yangtze to sever two railways which meet at the provisional capital—the Peiping-Hankow on the north and the Canton-Hankow on the south.

But the reports of guerrilla fighting in nominally Japanese-held territory illustrated the rearguard difficulties of the Japanese, the scope of their task of "pacifying" China. Much of fighting was within 100 miles of Shanghai.

### Crashing Pitch Barrel

Falls Nine Stories In Building In Montreal And Injures Two

Montreal.—A 300-pound barrel of pitch plummeted nine storeys through stairway landings in the Wilder building on Bleury street, leaving two persons injured and throwing occupants of the office building into a panic.

Workmen tarring the roof lugged the barrel from the elevator at the ninth floor up the stairs towards the roof. The heavy barrel escaped from them and tumbled down the stairs. It bounced in the air and crashed right through the marbled stair landing.

Like some aerial bomb, the pitch barrel plunked through landing after landing on its noisy career to the basement. As it burst through each floor it set off sprinkler system, drenching stairway and corridors.

Fireman Jack Cloran, repairing a sprinkler valve on the sixth floor, was narrowly missed by the barrel. It broke away the landing he was standing on and he fell five storeys in the wake of the barrel. Cloran was rushed to hospital with serious injuries to head, back, arms and legs.

The other victim was Harry Waldman, 35, partner in the Waldman Dress Company, with offices in the building. He was out of the building when the accident happened, but rushed in to see if his premises had been damaged. Running up the stairs, he dropped through the yawning hole in the first floor landing and was badly bruised. Waldman was allowed to go home after treatment at hospital.

The crashing pitch barrel, the sudden action of the sprinkler system, caused a general panic among the hundreds of people employed in the building, largely devoted to garment trade factories. Police and firemen quieted the terrified girl workers.

### British Official Dies

Jerusalem.—J. S. Moffatt, British assistant district commissioner, died from five bullet wounds received when gunmen invaded district administrative headquarters at Jenin.

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## SCHOOL FAIR

Next Thursday, September 8th, is School Fair Day and a big day for those who have been busy preparing their exhibits. Space does not permit us to explain the education children acquire.

## Luminous Locks.

No longer will it be necessary to fumble for the lock before entering the house on a dark night. A leading lock designer has introduced to the market a lock ringed with a clear plastic material known as "Lucite," and, according to a writer in the current issue of Canadian Industries magazine, the inner side of the ring is coated with a luminous compound which provides an easily found keyhole on the very darkest night.

## Propose Blood

### Tests of Drivers

Blood tests of all persons involved in traffic or other accidents to ascertain if such accident occurred by reason of such person being under the influence of alcohol or other narcotic drug" was urged in a resolution passed at the annual convention of the Associated Temperance Forces of Alberta, held at Edmonton some weeks ago.

The temperance organization has sent a copy of the resolution to the Alberta Motor Association, in view of the campaign that the A.M.A. has carried on consistently for safer driving on Alberta highways.

Resolution passed by the temperance organization has been sent to the dominion government, urging that the Criminal Code of Canada should be amended to provide for blood tests being taken of persons causing accidents.

It is recalled that in eastern Canada there have been similar demands for blood tests of motor car drivers following accidents.

## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

Alberta farmers in certain large areas need badly a new variety of wheat that will be as early as Garnet, and that will possess the high qualities of Marquis.

The University of Alberta, the Dominion Experimental Farms at Lacombe, Lethbridge and Beaver Lodge, and the Provincial Schools of Agriculture at Olds and Vermilion are working steadily on this problem, but they now need farmers' help, for the much desired new variety will be produced quicker if the plant breeders in these institutions can find out what farmers think of the varieties they are now using.

The University of Alberta recently published bulletin number 30, which deals with cereal crops. I recommend every farmer to write for a free copy of this excellent bulletin and then to fill in and to mail the questionnaire on wheat that will be found therein.

Those who have received the bulletin, but who have not yet filled in the questionnaire, should, I, courteously suggest, do so, for the information that farmers can supply, I am assured by Dr. Neatby of the University of Alberta, will most definitely help our plant breeders to produce the high quality earlier variety of wheat now so badly needed.

## Goozles.

There is someone around this town who doesn't know the difference between a Jewess and an heiress.

Did you ever hear of dumplings that turned out to be soup?

Harold Hunt says the population of Crossfield has increased. He has a cow.

Gladys says that Arthur and Addie were Calgary visitors last week.

Happy using the Oliver high chair as his perch, but was unable to obtain nipple and bottle.

Six glasses of hot lemonade should be a sure cure for a cold.

Beverly says Archie can't take it.

Chuck had a reason to trip people he had a pair of new skis.

Customer: I would like to see a good, used car.  
Salesman: So would I.

Walt Harris says Cal's radishes are almost as large as watermelons.

T. Tredaway inducing the Chronicledomians to ask the council for a "No Parking" sign to be erected in front of the Chronicle Office, as so many scooters park there.

A Champion girl is a champion fence climber.

We have some girls in town that really enjoy chewing gum.

## Winners.

The following are the members of the Crossfield "Dress up for Christmas Club" in the order they receive their suits

1. G. McDonald
2. F. T. Baker
3. H. Ballam
4. J. Chalmers
5. Henry Johnson
6. W. Emerson
7. Geo. R. Jones.
8. G. Lim.
9. W. J. Wood
10. G. E. Wall
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## Poultry Commission In Great Britain Following Methods Used In Canada

In 1935 the Poultry Reorganization Commission for England and Wales appointed a technical committee "to consider the present methods of supply and distribution of hatchery eggs, day-old chicks, and breeding stock in Great Britain, both generally and with particular reference to the reduction of poultry mortality, and to make recommendations for the improvement of those methods."

Some of the best poultry work in the world has been done in Canada, and naturally in drawing up their scheme the technical committee based their recommendations on what has been done in the Dominion for many years, principally on the Record of Performance and Hatchery Approval policies which have been in operation during the past 20 years.

On the findings of the technical committee, the British Minister of Agriculture has now set up a Poultry Commission for Great Britain with powers to control the distribution of breeding stock, hatching eggs and day-old chicks, with the responsibility for conducting stock improvement schemes on voluntary lines, assisted by premiums from the Exchequer in diminishing scale. In addition, the establishment of a research station has been undertaken for the investigation of major diseases and problems connected with the industry.

Some years ago the Canadian Record of Performance policy won international recognition for its merits as a medium for the development of general efficiency in farm flocks; now, as an additional mark of approval the British Minister of Agriculture has incorporated practically the whole Canadian scheme into the British poultry policy. The British Minister stated in the British Parliament that "the British Government was of the opinion that a fact contributing to the present difficulties of the poultry industry was the lack of organization in the marketing of home-produced eggs and poultry." The Canadian example was readily available, but the reason that the marketing scheme is substantially a replica of the methods followed in Canada.

### Better Red Clover

Canadian Experiment Stations Working To Produce Better Clover Seed. Much breeding work has been done with red clover in recent years at experiment stations in Canada and other countries. This applies to both single-cut and double-cut types and, as a result, there are now strains of these types which promise to be superior under Canadian conditions than those now generally grown.

There is, for example, the Ottawa Selection of double-cut red clover which has been obtained from mass-selection methods at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, since 1913. This strain is a more vigorous grower and heavier yielder than the average red clover now grown. It is such an improvement over the ordinary red clover that steps were taken in 1937 by the Dominion Department of Agriculture to have it multiplied out on a large scale for distribution. Seed was placed with 28 farmers in the Rose Corner district, Prescott county, Ont., where it is isolated from crossing with other strains and its purity retained. The prospects for a crop of seed this year are very good so far, and it is hoped that some 25,000 to 30,000 pounds will be produced for further distribution in 1939.

It is expected that this strain of red clover will eventually replace the common sort over large areas. Later in the season, the Plant Products Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture, will have more complete information regarding the supply of this seed available.

### Scheme Did Not Work

Romano Carnio, 51, a landlady in Venice, Italy, was unable to collect 66 lire (\$3.50) owed him by Fortunato Vecchiato. He removed the roof of the single room and kitchen which Vecchiato, his wife and their two children occupied, hoping that rain would drive them out. He was arrested.

The builders of the famous leaning tower of Pisa, Italy, intended it to be vertical, but one side sank when it was only 56 feet high and they finished it in the slanting position.

Italy is worried over numerous cancellations of tourists' reservations recently.

### Rust-Resistant Seed Wheat

Sufficient For Needs Of Saskatchewan Farmers Next Season

Sufficient stocks of the rust-resistant wheats, Thatcher, Apex and Renown, to meet the seeding requirements of all farmers in the rust areas of Saskatchewan would be produced this year, stated Professor Manley Champlin, of the field husbandry department, University of Saskatchewan.

Prof. Champlin, who played a major role in the development of Apex wheat, told a reporter he was in complete accord with Major H. G. L. Strange of Winnipeg, who stated recently that some manner of retaining most of the rust-resistant wheat varieties for seeding purposes should be devised.

Provided that no new form of rust virulent enough to affect the rust-resistant wheats invades Saskatchewan next year, the damage caused by wheat crops from rust this year would not be repeated next year, Mr. Champlin believed. He explained that the appearance of new and more virulent rust forms was a remote possibility.

It is felt among wheat experts generally, and supported by grain agencies that 1939 will be the first year in the history of Western Canada that the menace of rust will not be felt to any great extent.

Under rust conditions this year, the three rust resistant varieties of Thatcher, Apex and Renown, have stood up well. Numerous instances have been reported where non-resistant varieties of wheat were cut for feed this year whereas rust-resistant varieties on adjoining fields yielded well.

The field husbandry professor was pleased with the performance of Apex wheat, developed at the University of Saskatchewan. He estimated conservatively that there were now 20,000 acres seeded to Apex wheat. This wheat yields better than Marquis and is more rust-resistant than Thatcher.

"I should like to see an agency formed whereby the stock of rust-resistant wheat could be kept for seeding supplies and be made easily available to farmers," he said.

### Still Going Strong

New Jersey Man Chooses Continent In 34-Year-Old Car

George C. Green, 67-year-old machinist of Lambertville, New Jersey, arrived in Los Angeles in a one-cylinder ten-horsepower 1904 Oldsmobile, which he drove 4,000 miles across the continent, with a side trip to the 14,100-foot summit of Pike's Peak, in the Colorado Rockies.

Mr. Green and his wife, who accompanied him, were jubilant over the performance of the venerable vehicle, which Mr. Green bought in 1907 and has kept in running shape ever since. With many stops on the way, their trip took them six weeks. They plan to return home the same way and hope to arrive in September in Lambertville, where the Chamber of Commerce plans to proclaim a "George Green day."

The car has no speedometer, oil gauge, water gauge or other instruments, so Mr. Green does not know how far he has driven it. It makes 30 miles to the gallon of gas. It has a top speed of 28 miles an hour, although Mr. Green is suspected of bettering this occasionally by coasting down mountains.

Mr. Green uses the car almost daily in Lambertville for business.

### A Supreme Optimist

Hopes To Collect Salary He Earned About 32 Years Ago

P. G. Piggott, Chatham, Ont., industrialist, has received a letter from a supreme optimist—with a long memory. The writer says he was in Mr. Piggott's employ in 1906, and "owing to important business" left Chatham Aug. 3 of that year, without collecting his pay. He wants Mr. Piggott to forward him any money due him in unpaid wages.

Bergen, Norway, with an annual average rainfall of 72 inches, has a downpour nearly every day which washes the streets and keeps them virtually immaculate.

We may as well recognize that there is only one way to limit bombing and curb the bomber, and that is to outlaw it completely.

Subway trains in Moscow, Russia, carry nearly 490,000 passengers daily.

## Peasant Note Is Vogue in Aprons



PATTERN 6205

Each stitchery—the opportunity for color—a simple apron to make. You'll feel real dressed up in it! Pattern 6205 contains a transfer pattern of apron with two motifs 7 1/2 x 7 1/2 inches and with five small motifs correctly placed on straps; materials needed; illustrations of stitches; directions for making apron; color schemes.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in coin (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

### Did Not Fear Men

Baby Elephant Ignored Mother To Follow Rangers For Food

A story of the fearlessness of a male elephant is told in the annual report of the Federated Malay States Game Department. When a herd was climbing a sandy riverbank in Pahang a very young calf elephant sank in the loose soil halfway up and could go no farther.

The calf was seen by some country folk in a boat. They called several rangers, and by the united efforts of nearly a dozen men the exhausted calf was hoisted to the top of the bank. Banana leaves and other food were given to him while this was going on.

It was thought that when the calf was free and heard the calls of his mother he would immediately run off into the jungle, but what he did was to follow the rangers, asking with outstretched trunk for more tit-bits. They took sticks and beat him, while pushing him towards the jungle. They then boarded their boat and paddled to the other side of the river.

As soon as the calf saw that he was alone he climbed to the top of the bank. Then, as though hearing for the first time the calls of his mother, he turned towards the sound and ambled off with tail a-swinging to disappear into the green depths of the jungle.—London Times.

### First In Canada

Mohammedan Mosque Is Now Being Built In Edmonton

Work has started in Edmonton on the first Mohammedan mosque ever built in Canada. The structure, dedicated to the worship of Allah and the teachings of the Prophet Mohammed, who died in Arabia 13 centuries ago, will cost about \$6,000 and will open in November. There are about 2,000 Mohammedans (Moslems) in Canada, including 350 in Alberta and 150 in Edmonton alone, members said.

Parents in Tibet select the bridegroom and the wedding day for their daughter without her knowledge and consent, and the surprise is sprung on her at the last moment.

The plant known as Jack-in-the-pulpit is dioecious, meaning that it bears stamens on one plant, and pistils on another.

### Selected Wrong Group

Native Girl Beaten For Defying Custom Of Island

Eight young Japanese, from 16 to 20, beat a 17-year-old girl so badly that she was crippled for several weeks, all because she had contracted an "extra-group engagement" to marry. At the island town of Takamatsu, it transpired upon investigation, the peculiar custom is followed that when a boy falls in love with a certain girl, he and all the other members of his "group" leave their homes and go to live with the girl's parents. If the girl decides that she does not like the boy who made the first advances she is entitled to select another, but only from that group. Once she has picked one the rest leave the house of her parents and the marriage ceremony follows.

While the courting is going on the girl lives the life of a queen, waited on hand and foot by her suitors and his group. But she must not fall in love with a member of another group. A whipping is the penalty. At the trial of this case several citizens testified as to the good character of the young men, but they all received a three months' imprisonment sentence.

### Keeps People Alarmed

Business Hurt By War Scare In Papers States Bishop

Newspapers on this side of the Atlantic are retarding business recovery by "scaaring people stiff and making out that war in Europe is coming next week," declared Rt. Rev. A. E. Burgett, Anglican Bishop of Edmonton, in an interview at Winnipeg.

"It's the newspapers over here that are keeping things back by their alarming reports," continued the bishop, just back from a trip to England. "If they'd stop doing that, things would improve. It's that which is making everything so unwilling to invest money."

"Everything's going wonderfully in England. The Czechoslovakian problem is a difficult one but that's the only danger spot in Europe. And as far as I can make out, the real crisis is over."

The United States Patent Office first granted a patent on aluminum in April of 1889.

## Tree Planting Part Of Rehabilitation Plan For Western Prairie Farms

### The Value Of Symbols

Flag Or Its Substitute Has Always Inspired Fighting Men

His Majesty the King, in presenting a new standard to the Yeomen of the Guard, has again emphasized the value of symbols to an age that has practically forgotten the original uses of these survivals in the mere beauty of their presence. We have mechanized our armies and called science to our aid in the perfection of bigger and better instruments of destruction; we have forgotten how to fight like gentlemen with swords and lances; we seldom see the foe we are shooting at; but we retain and always shall retain the standard.

Its only original purpose was to act as a rallying point for soldiers who might become separated in the heat of battle.

There it waves and men could see it. That is why there is such a wealth of stirring stories about the defense of the banner all through history. When it was down the soldier might as well beat it home—because he knew his leader had lost the day. Genghis Khan mounted a pair of horns on a pole and conquered most of the visible world under them. Hitler has mounted the Swastika, but has not yet taken it into action. The lilies of France once graced the banner of England and there is no device you can think of that has not at some time floated boldly above the heads of fighting men.—Vancouver Province.

### Publicity Pays

Saskatchewan's Effort To Popularize Lignite Industry Is Having Effect

The efforts of the Government of Saskatchewan to popularize the lignite industry of the province are having far-reaching effects. Attention drawn to the industry through the publicity on its behalf by Hon. T. C. Davis while at the Coronation last summer, the United States Bureau of Mines, Washington, referred an enquiry by George E. Phillips, attorney and counsellor, Buffalo, N.Y., to the Department of Natural Resources for information regarding the industry. He is interested on behalf of the Government of Greece, Right on the heels of Greece's interest in the methods pursued by the Saskatchewan field comes an enquiry from Mr. S. Kanaya, attache of the Japanese Legation at Ottawa. He said that on behalf of his country he is making a study of the utilization and marketing of lignite coal and petroleum. He asked for literature dealing with the subject.

### Milk Criticism

A Boston clergyman has been displeased for some time with the quality of milk served him. At length he decided to remonstrate with his milkman.

"I've been wanting to see you in regard to the quality of milk with which you are serving me," he began mildly.

"Yes, sir," uneasily answered the milkman.

"I only wanted to say," continued the minister, "that I use the milk for drinking purposes exclusively and not for christening."

Old working war horses are being bought and put to pasture in England.

A pound of steel is worth \$60.00 when made into watch springs.

Tree planting, with the object of improving living conditions on prairie farms and of providing protection for gardens and crops against the erosive and drying effects of high winds, is being undertaken as part of the program under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act. Afforestation on the naturally treeless prairies, states the report on the proceedings of rehabilitation work for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1938, is beset with many difficulties arising principally from adverse climatic conditions and from the lack of suitable planting stock. In order to assist farmers in overcoming these difficulties in establishing desirable shelterbelts of trees and hedges, expert forestry advice and supplies of tree seedlings have been supplied free for a number of years from the Forest Nursery Stations of the Dominion Experimental Farms.

These forest nursery stations are located at Indian Head, Sask., and Sutherland, Sask. This service has been provided at Indian Head since 1901 and at Sutherland since 1914. During the 37-year period from 1907 to 1937, over 153,000,000 tree seedlings and cuttings have been distributed from these stations to between 60,000 and 65,000 farmers. Under the rehabilitation program this service is being extended to include the following activities: (1) District Experimental Sub-stations, (2) Agricultural Improvement Associations, and (3) Field Crop Shelter Belt Associations.

With regard to the District Experimental Sub-stations, special assistance is granted for tree planting for demonstration purposes, and during 1937 a total of 82,795 seedlings was supplied for this purpose.

Members of the Agricultural Improvement Associations may receive a limited number of trees delivered free to the nearest railway station, plus financial assistance of \$3.50 per thousand for planting. During 1937, 584,350 seedlings were planted by 485 members of the associations. Since April 1, 1938, financial assistance for planting was discontinued and was replaced by the payment of express on all planting stock distributed in the drought area. In this way, assistance under the rehabilitation program as regards tree planting is more widely distributed.

The work of the Field Crop Shelterbelt Associations represents an interesting phase of the rehabilitation program. These associations comprise groups of farmers located on neighbouring farms who have undertaken with government assistance to plant shelterbelts on their own land, the belts being spaced to enclose from 20 to 80 acres.

### Nationality Does Not Matter

All British Subjects Get Service From Empire When Needed

It is to be hoped that many will read and let their imaginations play on the importance of being British, says the Saint John Telegraph-Journal. Few Canadians are aware of those who bear the white man's burden in the Empire. We have not that constant stream of young men going out to be soldiers, civil servants and merchants, and of young women going out to be their wives, and we have not the stream returning on leave or retirement, not so young and far more experienced, to keep fresh in the minds of those at home the unflinching might and majesty of the Empire. Some Canadians even seem to think that to be proud of being British is to be slightly distasteful to Canada. These do not realize that the Empire asks no man whether he is English, Canadian, Australian or Indian when, as a British subject, he needs help and protection. Sufficient that he is British. The native of India, the Negro of the West Indies or Nigeria are all British and are given service as such along with their white fellow-Britons when difficulty or danger arises; and all may be grateful and proud that it is so. In the least degree renouncing their pride of nationality and race.

### Political Merchandise

Authorities in Germany have ruled that Jewish merchants will not be permitted to sell the low-priced radio set which will be placed on the market by the Government. The ban was based on a Government ruling that Jews are not permitted to handle merchandise of a political nature.

A 70-foot maypole in the Warwickshire, Eng., village of Welford-on-Avon, dedicated to the happiness of the young life, is the tallest said to be the highest in England.



Several units of the British Army have been taking a course under the Royal Engineers at Sturry, Kent, and one of the lessons learned was how to make a raft of tarpaulin and sheets of corrugated iron. These boys thoroughly enjoy the trip across the river in the homemade boat as they propel the craft across with oars.

WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Two squadrons, totalling nine officers and 175 men in all, of the Royal Canadian Air Force will be stationed in Calgary permanently.

First grain to be delivered to an elevator in Yorkton, Sask., from the 1938 crop graded No. 1 Northern and weighed 65 pounds to the bushel. It was Thatcher wheat.

Making the England-Australia trip in nine days as compared with 31 in surface transport, half-ounce letters at 1½ pence (three cents) postage, are arriving at Sydney, N.S.W., on the new air-mail schedule.

Precedent was set recently when the British post office department accepted designs by a woman for the new greetings telegram form. All previous forms were designed by well-known male artists.

Lady Tweedmuir, wife of Canada's governor-general, has returned from a visit to the United Kingdom. She has been absent from Canada during the greater part of the summer.

Canada's national war memorial, now being erected in Connaught Place, Ottawa, will not likely be ready for unveiling this fall. It was learned. The probability is that the ceremony may go over until some convenient date next spring.

The new Uplands airport, one of the finest in the Dominion and Ottawa terminal of the Trans-Canada Airlines, was opened officially Aug. 20 by Mrs. C. D. Howe, wife of the minister of transport, before a crowd of 5,000 persons.

A Chinese dictionary, claimed to contain all the different usages in words and phrases in the Chinese language, has been completed by Fu Ting-yi after 30 years' uninterrupted work. It is composed of 85 volumes and contains about 4,500,000 words.

Attendance at United Church Sunday schools in Canada has dropped 8.66 per cent. since 1932 but public schools have shown a decrease of 3.37 per cent. in the same time, according to a report prepared for the general council of the church meeting.

## Reducing Hay Consumption

**Mechanization in United Kingdom Means Fewer Horses Used**

Increased mechanization is reducing the consumption of hay in the United Kingdom. For example, the Army which used 16,408 horses in 1933-34 has only 5,200 horses in 1938-39. The demand for hay also by collieries and railways which have been large purchasers of hay for horses is down at least 25 per cent. as compared with 1937. This year's hay crop in England and Wales is much reduced, but the large carryover from 1937 and the decreased consumption from increased mechanization militates against any large increases in importations of hay. However, importations of hay from Canada are likely to increase with the coming winter, but for the reasons stated it is not anticipated that the demand for hay from Canada will be greatly above the average.

## The Latest Robot

**Ticket-Taker Being Tested in South Carolina Theatre**

Percy C. Osteen, theatre-manager for 19 years in Anderson, S.C., has invented a machine which automatically takes, records, and destroys show tickets.

Three years ago, with the assistance of his son, Harry Osteen, the inventor built the first miniature model in brass, and in October, 1935, carried it to Washington for the purpose of patenting it. Since then he has patented improvements so that the machine has been completed and is installed in the Osteen theatre. After being subjected to a thorough work-out under actual operating conditions, the device will be placed upon the market.

## Game Known To Greeks

Horsehoe pitching does not get the headlines in the papers to the same extent as baseball or golf. Yet it retains its hold in country districts and it is a history of 3,000 years counts for anything it will continue to appeal to young, middle-aged and even old men. The Greeks soldiers knew the game.

In all France there are only 25 radio stations, of which 14 are non-commercial and operated by the Government.

A school in Kenton, England, will have a fully-furnished flat where girls may learn how to run a home.

Potatoes are used in the manufacture of rubber.

## Champion Wheat Passes

**New Rust-Resistant Varieties Pushing Marquis Into Obscurity**

The London, Ont., Free Press says the battles of science are never final. Each victory merely marks the beginning of a new phase of the campaign for man's victory over the forces of nature. This truth is demonstrated by the fate of Marquis wheat.

When the patient research of the late Sir Charles Saunders resulted in a new wheat with high milling and baking qualities which would ripen considerably earlier than previous varieties the exploit was widely hailed. It has meant millions of dollars for Canadian farmers and indirectly has added Canadian industry to a similar extent. The wheat-growing district of Canada was pushed many miles toward the Arctic.

Now new varieties of wheat are pushing Marquis into the discard, as the Vancouver Province points out. With all its good qualities Marquis is susceptible to rust. Now Western farmers are turning to rust-resistant wheats. Over 50 per cent of Manitoba's crop this year is of this type, and most of it is the sensational new Thatcher wheat. Saskatchewan's experience with rust is likely to mean that a far larger percentage than the 15 per cent. sown this year will be in rust-resistant strains.

The Marquis tradition will be carried on, for most of the improved varieties are descendants of Marquis and have added its good qualities to their own new and distinctive ones. No doubt they will in their turn, be superseded by improved varieties which will enable the West to contribute still more to the bread-basket of the world.

## CHEERY APRONS TO SEW

AT HOME

By Anne Adams

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Illustrated above is one of the two plaques donated by the Wm. Wright Jr. Co. Ltd., emblematic of the Canada one mile swimming championship for men and for women held at the Canadian National Exhibition. Their size is 12" x 16". In each of them is illustrated the Canadian Beaver as well as the crest of the various Canadian provinces in official colours.

## Bumpers Used As Aerials

**Police Scout Cars Install New Antenna System**

Police in radio-equipped scout cars will literally be able to carry on conversation with police headquarters through the rear bumper of the automobile in which they are cruising, as a result of a new antenna system developed in the research laboratories of the General Electric Company at Schenectady, N.Y.

The new antenna system uses the auto bumper as a radio transmitting aerial.

According to the inventor, George W. Fyler, the rear bumper makes a more efficient aerial for broadcasting from police scout cars than do the conventional running board, vertical and roof aerials heretofore used. The bumper, when used as an aerial, sends out the radio waves more nearly uniform in all directions, so that the signals can readily be picked up from all points by other scout cars or police headquarters.

Another feature claimed for the bumper aerial is that it is inconspicuous. It does not "give away" to the criminal the fact that the police car is equipped with a radio transmitter.

## May Be Cabinet Change

**If Ill Health Forces Finance Minister Dunning To Retire**

Ottawa political circles are speculating over the proposed reorganization of the Dominion Cabinet in view of the strong possibility that ill health may force Finance Minister Dunning to retire from public life.

The names of Revenue Minister Halsey, Trade Minister Euler, and Agriculture Minister Gardiner are suggested for the Finance portfolio in the event of Mr. Dunning stepping out. No immediate action is expected.

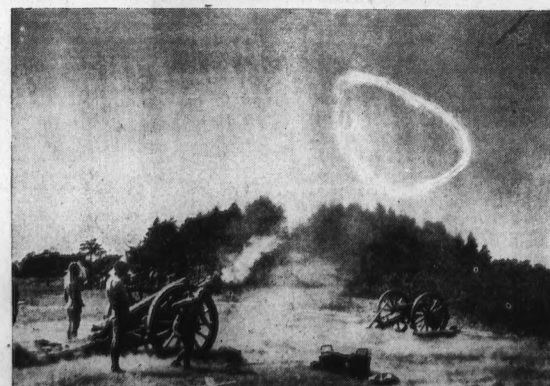
## Aerial Survey Completed

An extensive aerial survey of territories north of Yellowknife and Fort Reliance in the North West Territories was completed during August, five members of the Royal Canadian Air Force reported at Edmonton. They surveyed a wide area for geological and mapping purposes.

## Must Be Authentic

In the royal archives at Windsor Castle there is a chart showing the descent of our royal family from David the shepherd king, in broken line. Since the Royal College Herald is responsible for its accuracy, its authenticity is beyond dispute.

## THE CANADIAN ARMY IN ACTION AT PETAWAWA



This photograph, showing a six-inch Howitzer firing at Petawawa Military Camp, is a very unusual picture. It not only shows the shell, which weighs 100 pounds, as it disappears at the top right, but is also shows a well defined smoke ring which is seen only under very calm weather conditions.

—Photo of Maves, Artona Studio, Pembroke.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON  
SEPTEMBER 4

**SAMUEL: SPIRITUAL REVIVAL**

Golden text: Direct your hearts unto the Lord, and serve him only. I. Samuel 7:3.

Lesson: I. Samuel 7:1-17.

Devotional reading: Psalm 125.

Explanations And Comments

Penitence and Confession, I. Samuel 7:2-4. Religious life had come to a very low ebb among the Hebrew people before this great awakening under Samuel took place. They were worshipping the gods of the native peoples about them, and accompanied with this worship were sometimes most immoral ceremonies. Had matters gone on as they had been going for another fifty or a hundred years it would seem that a pure monotheistic religion would have utterly disappeared.

Dire trouble with the Philistines finally brought the people to "lament after Jehovah." It was when Israel was badly beaten in battle and threatened with overthrow and annihilation that she beheld herself of her apostasy and turned her face toward Jehovah again. Would the repentance be short-lived? Samuel strove to make it lasting. He exhorted the people to prove their repentance by serving Jehovah only. "If you do return unto Jehovah put away the foreign gods from among you, and serve him only; and he will deliver you out of the hand of the Philistines." And the people obeyed.

Prayer and Sacrifice, I. Samuel 7:5-8. The Philistines evidently thought that the Israelites had assembled preparatory to an attack upon them, and that a swift attack on their part would secure them an easy victory. In the battle with the Philistines recorded in our lesson last week, the Israelites had relied in vain upon the ark to save them; now, on learning of the approach of their enemy they brought Samuel to pray to God for help. Samuel offered a lamb for a whole burnt offering (which symbolized the self-dedication of the worshipper), and cried unto Jehovah for his people.

The Victory, I. Samuel 7:10, 11. And Jehovah answered Samuel—he answered him with a great thunder which symbolized the self-dedication of the worshipper, and cried unto Jehovah for his people. The scene of the Philistines' former victory became the scene of their utter rout, and they were pursued by the Israelites as far as Beth-car.

## Misleading Statistics

**Trade Returns Between Denmark And Canada Not Accurate**

One of the cases where statistics may be misleading is to be found in the trade returns between Denmark and Canada. In Denmark, statistics of imports are based on the country of purchase. Most of the Canadian wheat imported into Denmark is credited to New York and is therefore credited to the Dominion in the Danish returns—Department of Agriculture.

Because of tiny differences between the larynx and palate of the Chinaman and those of the Anglo-Saxon, Chinamen cannot pronounce the "r" sound with any degree of accuracy.

There are 17,000 motion picture theatres in the United States, with an average total attendance of 13,000,000 nightly.

**Health LEAGUE OF CANADA**

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**TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST**

by DR. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to The Health League of Canada, 103 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

## To Test Oxygen Mask

**Research Flight At High Altitude Made By Howard Hughes**

Howard Hughes, "round-the-world" and transcontinental record holder, has hung up another aerial record but it was only incidental to a research flight.

Winning non-stop from Los Angeles to New York to test a new type of oxygen mask for high altitude flight, Hughes, in his "round-the-world" transport type "plane," crossed the continent in 10 hours, 34 minutes, beating the best previous transport record by almost 30 minutes. He flew at an average altitude of 20,000 feet.

In January, 1937, however, he crossed the continent in seven hours, 25 minutes and 25 seconds in a special racing "plane."

Landing at Floyd Bennett airport, Hughes and three companions used the new type oxygen mask held great possibilities for future flight at extremely high altitudes. "Ultimately," Hughes said, "transport operations will be conducted at altitudes of around 30,000 feet. Our present equipment and engines will not permit regular flight at that height. The point I want to make is this: That as an aeroplane leaves sea level the man at the controls becomes less efficient."

"A good oxygen mask, permitting the pilot of the transport to breathe oxygen and air of the same density as that at sea level is going to do much toward making high altitude flying easy and efficient."

## Will Record Lightning Bolt

**Niagara Power Device Picks Up Storm Even At Distance**

A machine which records lightning bolts as inky scratches stood ready to put the "history" of Western New York's next electrical storm on paper.

Every lightning bolt within 15 miles of Buffalo is recorded on a device a week for less than a minute before the microphone for a period of 26 weeks," he said he thought he had "better stick to the letter" as he called his column. On the same ground he resisted all temptations to endorse advertised products, make movie shorts or otherwise pick up money on the side.

The "letter," in his last year, netted him nearly \$3,000 a week.

## Refused Side Lines

**Author Stuck To Writing And Proved Decision Was Wise**

When radio offered the late O. O. McIntyre, writer of the syndicated column, "New York Day by Day," \$5,000 a week for less than a minute before the microphone for a period of 26 weeks," he said he thought he had "better stick to the letter" as he called his column. On the same ground he resisted all temptations to endorse advertised products, make movie shorts or otherwise pick up money on the side.

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## Deportation For Blasphemy

**British Authorities Have New Law To Banish Undesirables**

Aliens in Great Britain who blaspheme will, under a new bill, be liable to imprisonment or deportation. This will strengthen the hands of the British authorities, who sometimes have difficulty in finding sufficient reason for expelling known undesirable. Some of the Bill are hotbeds of alien riff-raff who revel in blasphemy. This eloquence, however, will be disastrous in the near future—London Sunday Express.

More than 100,000 men and women are employed in England's cut-flower trade.

## In Class By Herself

**Doctor Finds Toronto Girl Allergic To Her Own Hair**

An unidentified Toronto blond topped Canadians who are allergic to certain things like woollens and wild flowers. "Miss X" is allergic to her own hair.

Dr. K. A. Roberts said he "tested and tested" before he found out the cause of the woman's illness. He added that he intends to use a serum made from the woman's hair as a possible cure.

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## POOR MAN'S GOLD

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CHAPTER III.—Continued

They were nearing the more populous regions of the camp Hammond turned to her.

"Let's be frank. You want me to get you past Sergeant Terry. Is that it?"

"That—was in my mind."

"In other words, take that extra dog team of mine, and the supplies I had intended to leave behind, and say they're your own?"

"It was just a desperate idea. To ask you to let me pretend to be the sergeant that these things were mine, drive them through and then turn them back to you."

"After that?" asked Hammond.

She shrugged her shoulders.

"I spent almost my whole life in the North—until a short time ago. If the world has to come to an end—"

"She halted, as though she had said too much. Hammond was silent. They reached a fork of the icy trail; one led to Hammond's tent. "Good night," she said.

A sudden wave of impulsiveness shot through Hammond. His mitted hand touched her shoulder.

"You've given me an idea," he announced. "Get up early to-morrow. I'll have the dogs and that sled full of stuff at the restaurant a little before daylight."

He hurried on, with her gasp of gratitude faintly following him. The next morning, in the dull gray of a snow-clouded dawn, Hammond walked to the ill-but-dismantled camp with Sergeant Terry. Toboggans were packed; already team after team of dogs, squatted in their harness, were spotted about the lake, the upper reaches of which led to the valley of the Caribou. There was shouting and hurried preparations.

"I see that girl's supplies came in all right last night," the sergeant said.

"Oh, yes," Hammond's voice was casual.

"Nice hitch of dogs she's got." The sergeant grinned broadly. "Well, I guess if I owned a river bed full of gold, I'd be doing the same fool things myself." Dismissing the subject, he shouted, "Hey, Annie, all set?"

More and more men—and women—with pack sacks, more dog teams, more sleds and toboggans assembled on the lake, until the foreground was black with humans. Hammond involuntarily looked about for Jeanne Towers. She was there, and the man saw from the way she handled her dogs that she had told him no falsehood.

At last the sergeant raised his gun. The barking reverberation of the long-barreled revolver broke crisply against the sharp morning. A cheer came from a prospector's throat, to be taken up by other men and punctuated by the high cries of women. A trapper remembered that he too had a gun, and fired it into the air. Immediately a dozen others joined him; the cries and shouts and booming of firearms rose to a thundering peak. Then as quickly came dead silence, as if these people had remembered the gaunt, cruel journey before them. Hammond's voice sounded crisply.

"All right, string out! Slip into the trail and start mushing. Don't try to rush—you'll be a long time getting there."

A driver yelled to his dogs. One by one, others followed. What had been an indiscriminate mass of cheer-

ing humans became a long, black, crawling line. It twisted across the lake, writhed into the valley of the Caribou which lay beyond and crawled laboriously toward the first rise of nearly two hundred miles of mountains, of plateaus and valleys and lakes and icy streams, along the great white trail to a new bonanza.

Two weeks later, they were still at it, moving more slowly now along an agonizing journey, broken often by slides of loosened snow in the narrow valleys, where hills rose precipitately, or where the willows, thick and tangled, blocked progress until a trail could be cut through. Everyone was tired—especially Hammond. Twice a day, he must make the line of march from one end to the other. It was hard going to-day; a chinook had been blowing.

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particles, eyes like balls of blood from snow burn.

"How'd we ever keep in line and change wet moccasins?" he queried. "Keep 'em on, I suppose, and get frostbite?"

"We'll make stops for that." The first slash of snow had begun to drive down out of the high reaches of the mountains. "Keep moving—and stay together."

The flakes had become thicker now; like a sticky white shield. All in an instant, the mountains began to fade.

"Stay together!" he shouted, as he worked back along the line. "Stay together!"

They had come out of a valley to a wide lake and were now well upon it. On his lumpy snowshoes, Jack made the end of the line, shouting his caution, and hearing it echoed by the most experienced men of this long serpentine of gold seekers. The sound of clucking as sticks rapped against snow-gummed webs was general now. The world had become a fog of white. Once again Hammond started forward, hurrying at the blurred sight of a laggard beside the trail. With some surprise, he saw it was Jeanne Towers.

"What's wrong?" he queried brusquely.

"My lead dog broke his trace. I think I've got it fixed."

Hammond examined the harness. "Looks all right," he decided.

"We're going to camp as soon as we strike the end of this lake."

"And then how far?" asked Jeanne. Hammond had heard that query a hundred times in the last few days.

"Oh, we're well over the worst of it. We'll have a tough time for awhile after we get out of this lake country—have to hit for the plateau—the winds are pretty bad there. Then we'll drop down to the Liiken river—going should be fairly easy after that."

"How far?" the girl asked again.

"Sixty miles. A man could make it in two days with a fresh team."

Hammond went on toward the head of the line.

"When do we get to the end of this lake?" shouted the lead musher.

A note of panic was in his voice. Hammond turned swiftly, glancing down the line.

"Olson!" he shouted. "Take the lead here and go into camp."

"Ay!" came the answer. Olson, with his elongated nose, strode out of line, rounded those in front of him, then began to plod again. Hammond once more moved swiftly toward the rear, only to return more quickly. At last he reached the side of the leader and strode beside him, staring back into the snow.

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## Some Curious Clocks

Town in Morocco Has Queerest One In The World

In the Swiss stand at the Paris Exhibition last year one of the most interesting features was the world's smallest watch, the size of a small Canadian cent. Switzerland has always been famous for its watches and clocks; the latest device from that country is a clock that has no face, hands, or a single lever. A photograph arrangement inside, and when you press a button the clock calls out "Twenty past two," or whatever the time happens to be.

Just beyond the borders of Switzerland, in Munich, a doctor has invented a sick-room clock. Here the patient presses a button, and a magnified shadow of the face of the clock is thrown on the ceiling, so that he doesn't have to crane his neck to see the time.

An even stranger clock is to be found in a remote little American town. It consists of nothing but a face, hands, and a single lever. The lever is connected to a geyser which spouts a column of hot water out of the earth every 38 seconds, each spout moving the hands forward just that amount.

But it is to Fes, a town in Morocco, that the honor must go of having the world's queerest "clock." One of the houses has jutting out about a foot from the wall, the butt-ends of 12 beams. Precisely at each hour, an attendant comes out and places a flower-pot, on the end of one of the beams. At twelve o'clock all the pots are cleared away and the process is begun over again!

## New Wing Formation

Will Give British Plane Increased Efficiency In Air

A high-speed flying wing capable of carrying a load more than 10 per cent heavier than orthodox commercial planes is being constructed at Whitney, England.

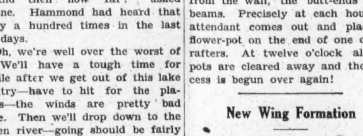
It is designed for a loaded weight of 38,000 pounds. With three engines of 1,000 horse power each it will have a top speed of 300 miles an hour and a cruising speed of 255 miles an hour at 10,000 feet, and will carry a commercial load of 19,500 pounds. This represents 51.6 per cent of the loaded weight compared with 40 per cent, usually obtained in the orthodox type of plane.

It will have a range of 2,760 miles carrying 20 passengers, their luggage and a crew of six.

The idea includes arrangement of the lifting surfaces on a rectilinear plan and giving sufficient depth to the wide wings to enable them to serve as passenger cabins.

The wing formation, which affords lifts at the take-off and also provides accommodation for passengers, is a new one. It has been shown in experiments not only to be virtually non-stalling, but also to give the maximum lift at and beyond the angle of incidence required for landing. Specially shaped wing-tips are said to give a similarly delayed stall in lateral control.

Around the coast of Britain there are about 290 life-saving stations and 4,000 volunteers and members of life-saving brigades, in addition to the regular lifeboat service.



Shipwrecked Sailor: "Thank Heaven! Civilization again at last!"

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**Old Mother Earth**

Brightest Painted Lady In Solar System State Astronomers

Old mother earth, viewed with the astronomical looking-glass of the moon, is the brightest painted lady in the system.

The moon-mirror studies were described at Flagstaff, Arizona, by Dr. V. M. Slipher, director of the Lowell Observatory. During a total eclipse of the moon, the earth's shadow falls to hide the moon completely. Deep red rays from the corona-like sunning of the earth's air keep the moon just barely visible.

The astronomers, examining these rays as the moon mirrors them back to earth, find that they come from sunlight shining through the lens-like earth's atmosphere.

The earth, then during eclipse, wears a splendid halo in the form of a rainbow tint around her face like a poke bonnet. The rainbow is produced by the atmosphere around her rim, which refracts—bends the rays—and selectively absorbs, thus greatly accentuating the reddish tones.

When her face is in sunlight the earth becomes one of the albinos among planets. She reflects more light than most of them. The astronomical term for this reflection is albedo.

**Impossible To Evade**

But Physical Fitness Great Factor In Fighting Any Disease

A recent incident in the career of the Dionce quintuplets at Callander, Ont., gives convincing proof of the impossibility of entirely evading illness, even when isolation is as perfect as it is possible to make it, when every precaution is taken to ward off attacks by germs to which the average human being is exposed.

The quintas were recently withdrawn from the usual public exhibitions because of tonsillitis. They were the victims of the kind of "sore throat" that is the plague of infant existence and attacks almost every youngster sooner or later.

But the quintas have had a model existence since birth. They have had the advantage of every scientific aid to health, they have had purely hygienic lives. They have been protected by every artifice of medical skill. How is it, then, that they have defective tonsils, like any ragamuffin who has been poorly-ridden? That is a question which suggests that it is practically impossible to guard human beings against disease germs. The case of the quintuplets is likely to be the outstanding experiment in the effort to ward off harmful germs that Canada may hope to witness, yet the bacteria responsible for tonsillitis has been able to break through what was regarded as an impenetrable defence. No one can explain how it reached these children. It must have been carried in the air.

**Factory Being Enlarged**

Fireproof Addition To Shredded Wheat Plant Under Construction

A fireproof addition to the plant of Canadian Shredded Wheat Company Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont., is at present under construction. When completed the total floor area of the plant will be increased by more than 50 per cent. The new building is being constructed of skeleton steel frame with reinforced concrete fireproofing and floor slabs, maple floors and face brick exterior to match the present building. When the enlarged plant is in full operation the number of employees will be increased 150 per cent. It is expected that the building will be completed in December. About 350 tons of structural steel will be used. The enlarged plant will manufacture a full line of "Shredded Wheat" products, including some not manufactured at present.

**Breakfast For A Penny**

Scheme Inaugurated At Port Of Spain Is A Success

A penny breakfast scheme, inaugurated in Trinidad more than two years ago by the Port-of-Spain Conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul for school children and aged people within the city, is progressing satisfactorily.

During the first six months of 1938, no less than 48,230 breakfasts were issued at a penny each, and plans to expand the idea are being considered by the society.

**What Hullo Means**

When you shout "Hullo!" you are really saying "A loup!" the warning cry given by forest residents in the old days, and equivalent to "Wolf!" It is said that "Hullo!" still survives in Charnwood Forest, England, as a hailing term. If you repeat "A loup!" pronounced "Ah loo!" quickly you will see how "Hullo" arose.

**The Indian Language**

Nearly All Tribes Have Practically Abolished It For English

Apparently, even in the far north, the Indian is losing his language and adopting English, says the Sault Ste. Marie Star. There may be isolated tribes yet which are not yet infiltrated by English, but this is doubtful. The Indian and Eskimo are so dependent now on the outsider that they can hardly escape soon losing their old ways of life, and with the loss of their unwritten languages the curtain is bound to ring to close on tribes that have for ages preserved a strong individuality.

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**United Church Services**

Sunday, September 4th

"In Christ there is no East or West,  
In Him no North or South.  
But one great fellowship of love,  
Throughout the whole wide earth."

Madden 11:15 a.m.  
Inverlea 3:00 p.m.  
Crossfield 7:30 p.m.

Rev. S. Hunt, B.A.B.D., Minister

**Crossfield Baptist Church**

Regular Sunday Services  
11:00 a.m. Morning Service  
12:00 noon Sunday School  
8:00 p.m. Evening Service  
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## Local and General.

Ross Gibson, of Olds, spent the  
week with Keith Bannister.

Miss Wilda Laut was a Calgary  
visitor last weekend.

Mrs. Fox Sr. celebrated her 81st  
birthday Wednesday.

Jack Williams, of Bowden, spent  
a week in town visiting Jack and  
George Fleming.

Miss Phyllis Chamberlain,  
of Champion, is the guest of Miss  
Winnie Tredaway.

Mrs. Brooks and children, of  
Calgary, spent the weekend at the  
D. J. Hall farm.

J. Crawford, of Olds, is in charge  
of the local Atlas Lumber Yard  
until a new manager will arrive.

Sylvia Richardson left this week  
to attend the Garbutt Business  
College, Calgary.

Violet Currie received news that  
she passed from grade 9 to 10, all  
A's, with honours in French.

Miss Beverley Roberts, of Barons  
is visiting at the Gilchrist home for  
a few days.

The Misses Mildred and Mary  
Edlund, of Calgary, spent the week  
end at the home of their brother,  
Mr. A. E. Edlund.

C. Calhoun showed us a Spanish  
radish that weighed one pound and  
thirteen ounces and was about eight  
inches long.

W. R. Emerson has opened a  
Lumber Yard west of the O K  
Garage, and is now ready for business.

Miss May Stauffer, who spent  
the past two months with friends  
at Banalto, returned Monday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schilpp and  
family, of Chicago, were house  
guests at the home of Rev. and  
Mrs. S. R. Hunt Friday night.

Mrs. Davis, of Drumheller, is  
visiting at the home of her daughter,  
Mrs. J. H. Pickford, for a few  
days.

W. Schroeder, of Ovando, Mont-  
tana, arrived in town Monday  
morning. He expects to spend  
about two months in his home  
district, Madden.

Rev. and Mrs. Currie were the  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Greenham,  
of the Mountain School, Banff,  
while returning from New West-  
minster.

**Around Field and Barn.**  
By E.M.C.

It might not be a bad idea if  
some of us started to look around  
for material to make a poison bait-  
spread in readiness for the grass-  
nopper plague that looks like a  
serious one next year. The situation  
is not at all satisfactory. There  
were too many farmers who failed  
to realize the menace, and either  
did not spread poison at all, or made  
such a poor job of it as to be useless.

Those who poisoned faithfully are  
now infested with millions of full-  
grown hoppers from neighbors  
who did not poison; these men  
are peevish and they have a right  
to be. A bait-spreader for not more  
than every two farms is not too  
many, it is poor business to have to  
wait as someone else, and often  
results in the work not being done  
at the right time. If you have a  
small farm and do not wish to invest  
in a spreader, the bait should be  
spread with a paddle, or by hand,  
as this and even as you would sow  
grass seed.

This comic act business of spreading  
with a scoop-shovel or pail from a  
wagon or truck is wasteful and  
useless.

The work should be done when  
the hoppers are small, a late cold  
spring may only delay the first  
hatch, and there were large hatches  
as late as the first week in August,  
so it is necessary to poison several  
times.

The Roubaud M.D. have done  
their duty in this matter. Mixing  
stations were established and bait  
always available. There is material  
on hand for a start next year—it's  
up to you—Watch out or the hop-  
pers will get you.

Bait wasted is money wasted.

## Wedding.

(continued from front page)

of Butterfly roses.

The church was beautifully decorated  
for the occasion by Mrs. S.  
Wilkinson, a friend of the bride.  
Summer flowers banded the altar  
and the chancel steps and little  
clusters of flowers, tied with satin  
ribbon, marked the guest pews.

The bride had two attendants.  
Miss Gladys Purchase, who, as  
bridesmaid, wore a floor length  
frook of powder blue lace, made  
jacket style and trimmed with pink  
with which she wore a full hat in  
matching blue and carried a bouquet  
of pink roses, and Elizabeth  
Adair, who, as flower girl, was  
charmingly attired in pale green  
organza and carried a basket of  
sweet peas and baby's breath.

Corporal Dan McDonald was the  
best man.

During the signing of the register  
Mr. Jenkins played "I Love Your  
Truly."

Following the ceremony a reception  
to 65 guests was held at the  
Avenue Grill. Mrs. Priest, mother  
of the bride, wore a becoming frook  
of Pacific blue crepe with black  
and white accessories, a broad brim  
med hat and a corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. F. Workman, who received  
with the bridal party, wore a gown  
of robin's egg blue and a corsage  
of pink roses. Mrs. W. Logan also  
assisted in receiving.

After the wedding supper Mr.  
and Mrs. Heinrich left for a wedding  
trip to Banff, and after spending a  
few weeks in the mountains they  
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## Announcements.

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tion of foods will be held under  
the auspices of the Floral Local U-  
F.W.A. on Thursday, September 1st  
in the Masonic Hall, at 2 o'clock.  
Title of subject, "Supper Dishes  
and Salads." This demonstration  
is open to the public. Silver col-  
lection will be taken to defray  
expenses.

Monday, September 5th, being  
a holiday (Labor Day) the Post  
Office wickets will be closed all day  
except between 10 and 11 a.m.  
The lobby door will be open from  
9:30 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. for the  
convenience of box renters.

The members of the Crossfield  
United Church Ladies Aid are in-  
vited to the regular meeting to be  
held at the home of Mrs. Edlund  
on Wednesday, September 7th.

Mrs. Emory and Lauretta Fike  
returned home from the coast to-  
day Thursday.

Miss Brown returned from her  
holidays on Wednesday.

Mrs. Miles Fike entertained on  
Wednesday afternoon in honour of  
her daughter Shirley's birthday.  
The table was prettily decorated in  
pastel colors. Games were played  
and all the children wended their  
way home at 6 o'clock.

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